PUBLIC NOTICE YOU HAVE A VOICE IN AIR POLLUTION CONTROL IN ARIZONA

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has reached a preliminary determination and is proposing to issue Air Quality Control Permit No. 31876 to the Arizona Public Service Company for the operation of an Electric Generating Plant located at 7522 South Somerton Avenue, Yuma, Yuma County, Arizona 85364.

You have an opportunity to submit written comments on the Permit and make oral comments on the Permit at the Public Hearing. ADEQ will be holding a Public Hearing on Tuesday, May 24, 2005 at 6:30 p.m. at the City of Yuma, One City Plaza, Conference Room 190 in Yuma, AZ 85366. The written comment shall state the name and mailing address of the person, shall be signed by the person, their agent or attorney, and shall clearly set forth reasons why the Permit should or should not be issued. Grounds for comment are limited to whether the Permit meets the criteria for issuance spelled out in the State Air Pollution Control laws or rules.

Materials related to the Permit, including the application, ADEQ's analysis and the draft permit are available for your review at ADEQ's office at 1110 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona and at the City Clerk's Office at One City Plaza Yuma, AZ 85366.

Persons wishing to submit written comments can do so at the Public Hearing. If mailed, written comments must be received by May 24, 2005. Comments should be directed to: Director, Air Quality Division, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, 1110 West Washington Street, 3415A-1, Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2935.

ADEQ will consider all comments received in making a final decision on the proposed Permit. Everyone commenting will receive notification of the final decision. People who file comments on the Permit will have the right to appeal the final decision as an appealable agency action to the Office of Administrative Hearing (OAH) pursuant to §41.1092.03, and the appeal must be filed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of the final decision. The OAH may sustain, modify, or reverse the final decision.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Katie Huebner (602) 771-4794 TDD phone 771-4829. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

If you would like to receive copies of future Public Notices of Air Pollution Control Permits, please provide a typewritten or a clearly printed copy of your name, address, and ZIP code, to the Director of Air Quality Division at ADEQ's address shown above. Your request should also state that you wish your name to be placed on the Air Quality Permit mailing list.

If you have any questions or would like to find out more information about this Permit, please contact Eric Massey at (602) 771-2288, toll free (800) 234-5677, or at ADEQ's address shown above.



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April 15, 2005AQD:PS:CTS:106453 **CERTIFIED MAIL**

RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Frank Matus Arizona Public Service Company PO Box 53933, Mail Stop 4852 Phoenix, AZ 85072

Dear Mr. Matus:

Subject: Air Quality Control Permit No. 31876

Electric Generating Plant - Place ID: 9955

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, has completed its review of the referenced permit application.

I am prepared to recommend to the Director that your Air Quality Control Permit be issued with conditions necessary to meet all rules and regulations applicable to this source related to air pollution control. A draft of the Permit with appropriate conditions is enclosed for your review.

In accordance with Arizona Revised Statute §49-426.D, a Public Notice will be issued in **The Sun** and the **Bajo El Sol** on April 22, 2005 and April 29, 2005. A Public Hearing on the Permit is set for Tuesday, May 24, 2005. A copy of this Public Notice is also enclosed. This hearing will be held at City of Yuma, One City Plaza, Conference Room 190, Yuma, AZ 85366 on Tuesday, May 24, 2005 at 6:30 p.m.

You will need to post a copy of this Public Notice adjacent to the nearest public roadway on the property where your facility is located. This notice posting should conform to the attached Public Notice posting requirements. The notice should be posted from the date of first publication to May 24, 2005.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Imran Bajwa at (602) 771-4492 or me at (602) 771-2288.

Sincerely,

Eric C. Massey, Manager Air Permits Section

ECM:pb2 Enclosures

cc: Air Compliance Section

Joey Ayala, APS Chas Spell, APS

MINIMUM SIGN SIZE REQUIREMENTS for ADEQ

AIR QUALITY CONTROL PERMIT APPLICATION

Written Comment Period Ends May 24, 2005 Proposed Permit #31876

> (Public Notice Copy Goes Here)

For more information contact:

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (A.D.E.Q.) (800) 234-5677

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Sign shall be 3-feet wide by 4-feet high.
- 2. Bottom of sign shall be 18 inches above the ground.
- 3. Sign shall be supported by two anchor posts.
- 4. Sign shall be posted on the affected property in such a manner as to be legible from the public right-of-way.
- 5. Sign shall be black letters on a white background.
- 6. Sign shall be made of 1/4-inch plywood.